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important medico-legal subjects. Of special interest is the decision rendered in regard to a defendant who was charged, in Illinois, with practicing osteopathy. As he professed ability to understand and treat human ailments intelligently and successfully, it was held that he practiced medicine within the definition of the Illinois statute. In Ohio, on the contrary, it was held that an osteopath is not a practitioner of medicine within the statute. It would seem imperative that an interstate or national legislation should be provided, clearly defining a legal medical practitioner in such unmistakable terms as to exclude all quacks and quasi-doctors who could not present on request a diploma from some recognized medical college. Professor Parrington's book is well worthy of careful perusal, and should find a place in the library of all medical and legal men.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR BAR EXAMINATION REVIEW. By CHARLES S. HAIGHT and ARTHUR M. MARSH. New York: Baker, Voorhis & Co. 1899.

This book is prepared along the line of the present theory of examination for admission to the bar. A student is no longer asked to define a partnership or a corporation, but is required to state the rights or the liabilities of the parties in a given case. The examiner wishes to know if the student can apply legal principles. The authors in the preparation of their book have constantly kept that end in view, and the book, no doubt, will be of great value to students who have covered the work and wish an aid for review just before an examination.

The book, from a mechanical standpoint, is good, as it is printed in a clear, plain type. It contains an excellent Table of Contents and a well-prepared Table of Cases from most of the States of the Union, and many English cases.

Citations have been chosen from all jurisdictions, and where there is a conflict between the different states upon any material point the conflict is noted and the conflicting decisions given, as far as possible.

At the close of the book there is a well and fully prepared Index, so that a student may turn to any subject with very little difficulty. As the authors say, "the cases cited should be read as far as such a course is feasible." If this is done by any student he cannot help getting a clear understanding of the subject.

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